

REMARKS

The foregoing amendments are submitted to copy claims. A showing of support under Rule 604 is being prepared and will be submitted promptly.

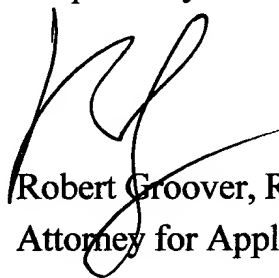
In view of the copied claims now being presented, the existing claims will be transferred into a continuing application.

An interview with the Examiner is urgently requested. Associate counsel Charles Gholz, James Boler, or another member of the Oblon firm will be calling the Examiner to arrange the interview. Alternatively, the Examiner is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at any time.

Conclusion

The Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned attorney, or James Boler or Charles Gholz, for an interview to resolve any remaining issues.

Respectfully submitted,



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